

# Oklahoma Cattle Report



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## OKLAHOMA'S ALL CATTLE AND CALF INVENTORY UP 2 PERCENT FROM JANUARY 1, 2005

**OKLAHOMA:** The January 1, 2006, inventory of all cattle and calves in Oklahoma, at 5.45 million head, was up 2 percent from the January 1, 2005, inventory. All cows that had calved, at 2.2 million head, were up 3 percent and bulls, at 140 thousand head, were up 8 percent from January 1, 2005. All heifers over 500 pounds, at 960 thousand head, were up 2 percent from last year. Steers over 500 pounds, at 1.2 million head, were unchanged from January 1, 2005. The 2005 calf crop, at 1.98 million head, was up 4 percent. Calves, other heifers and steers grazing on small grain pasture in Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas totaled 2.1 million head, down 32 percent from a year earlier.

**UNITED STATES:** All cattle and calves in the United States on January 1, 2006, totaled 97.1 million head, 2 percent above the 95.4 million on January 1, 2005. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 42.3 million, were up 1 percent from the 41.9 million on January 1, 2005. The 2005 calf crop was estimated at 37.8 million, up 1 percent from 2004. Calves born during the first half of the year are estimated at 27.4 million, up slightly from 2004.

## CATTLE AND CALVES: INVENTORY BY CLASSES, JANUARY 1, 2005-2006 CALF CROP 2004-2005<sup>1</sup>

C L A S S	O K L A H O M A			U N I T E D S T A T E S		
	2005	2006	2006 as % of 2005	2005	2006	2006 as % of 2005
INVENTORY NUMBER	1,000 Head		Percent	1,000 Head		Percent
All Cattle and Calves	5,350	5,450	102	95,438	97,102	102
Cows that have Calved	2,090	2,150	103	41,920	42,311	101
Beef Cows	2,015	2,075	103	32,915	33,253	101
Milk Cows	75	75	100	9,005	9,058	101
Heifers 500 Lbs. and Over	940	960	102	19,573	19,978	102
For Beef Cow Replacement	375	410	109	5,691	5,905	104
For Milk Cow Replacement	15	20	133	4,118	4,278	104
Other Heifers	550	530	96	9,763	9,795	100
Steers 500 Lbs. and Over	1,180	1,180	100	16,476	16,923	103
Bulls 500 Lbs. and Over	130	140	108	2,219	2,263	102
Calves Under 500 Lbs.	1,010	1,020	101	15,250	15,626	102
	2004	2005	2005 as % of 2004	2004	2005	2005 as % of 2004
Calf Crop	1,900	1,980	104	37,505	37,780	101

<sup>1</sup>Totals may not add due to rounding.